

**ALLIES MUST MAKE
FIRST PEACE MOVE
SAYS CHANCELLOR****Germany Will Discuss Terms
Compatible With Her
Dignity.****NOT FIGHTING FOR CONQUEST****Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg Declares
That Nation Declines Responsibility
for Combination of Hostilities
Which Must Guarantee Future Safety**

By Associated Press.
BERLIN, via wireless to St. Louis, Dec. 9.—(U. P.)—The German government has made a peace move, according to the German press, which is a first step towards peace, and the German government has made a peace move, according to the German press, which is a first step towards peace, and the German government has made a peace move, according to the German press, which is a first step towards peace.

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**COUNTY INSTITUTE WILL
CONVENE NEXT MONDAY****Plan Program Arranged for Teachers
by Superintendent J. S. Carroll;
Strong Speakers.**

The sixty-second annual session of the Fayette County Teachers' Institute will convene Monday in the West End Theatre, Uniontown. Teachers may enroll Saturday or on Monday. Enrollment for both days will begin at 8 o'clock at the theatre. Half the cost will be on Saturday and the other half on Monday. Any teacher wishing to enroll for other teachers must present to the enrolling clerk a list of the teachers for whom he wishes to enroll, and each list must be signed by the teacher who presents it. Persons enrolling for other teachers will not be allowed to choose more than four seats in any one section of the theatre, and no teacher will be allowed to enroll for more than eight teachers. John S. Carroll, county superintendent of schools, is the president of the association. The enrolling secretaries are George E. Pike, James G. Robinson and Edgar C. Noel.

The instructors are Dr. Lincoln Phillips of Deland, Fla.; Dr. William H. Henderson of Ann Arbor, Mich.; Dr. Frank W. Wright of Uniontown; Dr. Simon L. Fess of Washington, D. C.; Walter S. Dewhirst of Washington, D. C.; and a former superintendent of the public schools of this city, Prof. Jerry March of Philadelphia is music instructor. The soloists are Miss Gertrude Fraley of Pittsburgh and Mrs. Maude W. MacDonell of Columbus, O.

The morning session will begin at 8 o'clock and the afternoon session at 1:15 o'clock. In the evening from 7:15 to 7:50 o'clock music will be furnished by the institute orchestra.

The institute will adjourn Friday at noon.

HAS PENSION BILLS**Hopwood Urges Justice for Veterans
Cut Off by Democrats.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Representative Hopwood announced today that he is preparing and intends to introduce soon in the House a number of pension bills. He declared that the Democrats had taken pension bills away from some who were entitled to them, having made some technical excuse for cutting the veterans off this bill.

He said a number of cases had been brought to his attention, some very recently, in which worthy and deserving veterans who were fully entitled to their pensions, had been deprived of them. After the bills have been introduced, he will do what he can to have them pushed through.

RAILROAD EARNINGS GROW.**Net Revenues for October Increase
\$426 Per Mile.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Reports to the Interstate Commerce Commission for 162 leading railroads for October made public yesterday, show that their net revenue per mile was \$426, as compared with \$426 in October, 1914, and for the four months ending with October, \$1,809, as compared with \$1,809 for the four months ending with October, 1914.

The total net revenue for October was \$11,052,927, against \$8,121,226 in October, 1914, and \$39,155,933 for the four month period against \$27,091,127.

ROUNDUP IN NEW YORK.**Hundreds of Cattle Traced in Collision
of Vessels.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Buttery Park and the mouth of the Hudson river off the coast were the scene early today of a regular western roundup of cattle, sheep and calves, as the result of a collision between the steamship North Star, leaving for Portland, Me., and a barge loaded with live stock from Jersey City.

A large hole was torn in the side of the barge and many of the hundreds of cattle and sheep drifted out through it and were scattered about in an effort to reach safety. Between 100 and 200 of the animals were drowned.

KILLED AT SEA.**San Francisco Fisherman Met Death in
Ocean Battle.**

By Associated Press.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 9.—Friends today received a letter saying that Captain Frederick Jensen of San Francisco, who disappeared from here several months ago, was killed when the German submarine U-35 was fired upon by the British patrol boat, the Barbados, on August 19. Jensen was a prominent local clubman.

WILSON TO SPEAK**President Leaves Washington Tonight
For Columbus.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—President Wilson will leave Washington tonight for Columbus, O., where he will make two addresses tomorrow, one before the Chamber of Commerce at noon and the other at night before the Columbus Council of Churches of Christ in America.

He will reach Washington Saturday afternoon on his return.

Communism is Safe.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Lloyd's announced today that the American liner Communism reported to have been sunk by a submarine off the coast of Tripoli, sailed from Alexandria, Egypt, for New York yesterday.

**Prominent Suffragists Seek Election
As Successor to Dr. Shaw****MRS. BRECKINRIDGE, MRS. CHURCHILL, MRS. MCCORMICK****INSPECT SCHOOLS****New Board of Directors Spent Day
Looking Over Properties.**

An inspection of all the city school buildings was made by the new board of education today. The party was accompanied by Superintendent S. P. Ahe.

Starting with the Fourth ward building, the board next visited the high school. This consumed most of the morning, so the afternoon was devoted to the rest of the ward schools. In the inspection party were all of the directors: J. H. Davidson, C. R. Hietzel, W. W. Hines, Oliver Wood, J. W. Ralston, R. K. Long and D. A. Ripley.

The board has in mind the erection of new buildings and this inspection was made so that the four new members might get first-hand knowledge of conditions and determine whether or not there is need for new structures for school purposes.

AMBASSADOR NAMED**Mexican Government Diplomatic Representative
to U. S. Appointed.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The first step toward the resumption of full diplomatic relations between the United States and Mexico was taken today in the appointment of Emilio Arredondo, General Carranza's confidential representative in Washington, as Mexican ambassador to the United States. The appointment of Henry P. Fletcher, at present ambassador to Chile, soon will be announced.

Resumption of diplomatic relations means that Mexico will soon take her long vacant seat in the diplomatic councils of the world. For nearly three years, since the days of Madero, there has been no government in Mexico recognized by the world powers.

TABERNACLE PLANS.**"Bob" Jones Will Hold Meetings on
the South Side.**

Estimates on the cost of erecting a tabernacle for the "Bob" Jones evangelistic campaign are being secured today by the man who has charge of the erection of all of the Jones tabernacles. He is conferring with members of the building committee and will likely let the contract before he leaves.

The tabernacle will be erected at the corner of Washington and Elm streets, but the exact spot on the large vacant lot donated for the use of the campaign by the local estate of J. H. Henderson has not been decided upon. The cost will be anywhere from \$1,000 to \$2,000, depending largely upon whether the labor is donated or paid for.

The building will be of rough lumber and will seat 5,000 comfortably.

HAS HARD FALL.**Nichols Drops to Concrete Floor;
No Bones Broken.**

While working on a pier at the West Penn power house yesterday afternoon, George Nichols of South Connelville, 21 years old, slipped and fell about 25 feet, landing on a concrete floor.

He was picked up by fellow workmen and hurried to the Cottage State Hospital. It was at first thought he had suffered a broken back, but an examination showed that no bones were broken. He is resting easily today at the hospital, and his condition is not critical.

CAR OVERTURNS**State-man Has Narrow Escape in New
Automobile.**

William Percy of Greenwood, salesman for the Tel-Stat Candy Company, had a narrow escape from serious injury last evening about 5:30 o'clock when his Sixton runabout skidded, ran into a bank and overturned while he was driving from Uniontown to Connelville. The driver was thrown from the car but escaped with a few bruises.

The car, which was a new one, had been used by Mr. Percy for the first time yesterday.

**MINOR CASES ARE
ON TRIAL BEFORE
CRIMINAL COURT****Redstone Man is Arraigned
for Running Down
Foreigners.****ECHO OF ISABELLA FIGHT****Six Foreigners Face Jury on the
Charge of Assault and Battery;
Local Man Convicted of Blamey;
Guardian Sought for Joseph Moore.**

Speech to The Courier.
UNIONTOWN, Dec. 9.—On charges of assault and battery and aggravated assault and battery, Stewart Brown, of Redstone township, was tried before Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen today. The prosecution being the result of Brown hitting two foreign miners with his automobile. The prosecutions were made by John Dentino and Joseph Mussant. The testimony of the commonwealth was in the effect that Mussant and Dentino were walking in the middle of the road from Power Hill No. 1 to Republic when Brown drove up behind them and struck them. Mussant testified that the car ran partly over him and dragged him for about 15 feet, rendering him unconscious. He testified that as a result of being struck by the car he was laid up for 25 days.

Brown was found not guilty and the costs were placed on the county. The jury recommended that the jury and constable receive no costs.

Frank Cominski was acquitted of a charge of abducting from a board bill and saddled with one-third of the costs, the prosecutor, Lester Bodnar, being required to pay the other two-thirds.

Emerson Swank of near Hecla, charged with a moral offense by 25th Brant of Connelville is on trial. He has served six months in jail in Westmoreland county awaiting trial. His release was secured as he was arrested and held for trial in this county.

Before Judge E. H. Reppert in court room No. 2 six foreigners, Mike Andrusky, Charles Andrusky, Paul Wicks, Mike Wandrosky, Mike Senger and John Lukowsky, were placed on trial charged with six counts of the various grades of assault and battery. The case is the outcome of a drunken fight at Isabella last September 18.

December 28 was set as the date for a hearing following the presentation of a petition to the court for the appointment of a guardian for Joseph Moore of Uniontown, declared to be feeble minded. The petition was presented by Attorney T. J. Morgan, representing Mrs. Eppa Snider and Mrs. Sam Stevenson, daughters of Moore.

Barry Payne, a Uniontown negro, was sentenced to six months in the workhouse after being convicted of assault and battery upon Bartley, Jr., and Harry Denty in the barroom of a Uniontown hotel.

Andy Smith was sentenced for costs on the charge of digging potatoes and was sentenced to six months in the workhouse after being convicted of assault and battery upon Charles Bryan of Postville. The trouble grew out of the sale of 5 cents worth of candy.

Mike Hasek and William Natovich were charged with charges of abducting from a boarding house at Fairview. They were sentenced to pay the costs.

Francis Dickerhoff, 25 years old, a decorator of Connelville, entered a plea of guilty to charges of adultery and living in dishonorable company yesterday afternoon. The charges were preferred by E. F. Kimball, of Brownsville, father of the second Mrs. Dickerhoff. Dickerhoff is a native of Poland, and last August 25 married Miss Frances Kimball of Connelville. The girl is only 15 years old, and her father gave his consent to the marriage. He later learned that Dickerhoff had another wife living and made an information against him.

Ewing Zorley of Fairview, accused by his wife, Mrs. Eva Zorley, of assault and battery, was acquitted. Two-thirds of the costs were placed upon Mrs. Zorley and the remaining one-third on the husband.

Faust Reppert imposed a sentence of 60 days in the workhouse on Harry Johnson, a negro, who was convicted of larceny and breaking and entering.

NEW MANAGER.**E. J. Gillespie Takes Charge of the
Postal Telegraph Office Here.**

E. J. Gillespie is the new manager of the Postal Telegraph office here. He assumed charge yesterday.

The new manager is a former local boy, having been telegrapher for the Baltimore and Ohio at Dunbar for some time before taking up commercial work. Assistant Superintendent of the Pittsburgh district, Mackie, was a visitor to Connelville yesterday.

Visit Company D.

Uniontown, Va., A. Krueger, United States Army Inspector for the Second Brigade of Pennsylvania, visited Company D last night. He put the 35 men through their paces for two hours. Captain J. C. Horvick was not in command because of the death of his father.

**THIRTEEN HAVE MEASLES;
NOT ONE CASE REPORTED****Health Officer Discovers Small
Epidemic in Second Ward; No Physi-
cians Had Been Called.**

Thirteen cases of measles, all without medical attention and none reported to the Board of Health, were discovered yesterday. Officer George Hietzel, yesterday, Teachers in the Second ward schools noticed that a number of their smaller pupils were absent and a suspicion existed that measles existed among foreign residents of Dutch bottom, so the health officer was notified.

In some houses two and three children were found ill with this disease, which is unquestionably dangerous if not properly treated. The homes were placarded and the parents notified to seek physicians.

The patients are:
Three children in the home of Mike Callers, 503 1/2 West Gibson avenue, Annie, 7; Tony, 3, and John, 2.
Three children of Gracie Calliguvus, Mary, 4; John, 2, and Gracie, 7.
Anna Christian, aged 8, daughter of Mrs. Anna Christian of 502 Connelville avenue.

James Deleto, aged 8, son of Steve Deleto, of 21 1/2 Witter avenue.
John Girard, aged 8, son of Angelo Girard, of 422 Cambridge avenue.
Four children of Peter Galla of 510 Second street, Frank, 6; Elizabeth, 4; Millie, 18 months, and Mary, 7.

One case was reported by a physician today, the patient being William Jefferson, aged 7, son of Thomas Jefferson of 151 North alley.

SCHEDULE CHANGES**New Time Goes Into Effect Sunday on
Southwest Branch.**

Changes in the Pennsylvania railroad schedule to go into effect Sunday will affect only three trains on the Southwest branch. The time of all northbound trains will be the same.

Another change to go into effect along with the shift in the schedule will be the new numbers given to all trains on the branch. Trains before having three figures, will now have four, all the numbers beginning with 71, the last two numbers signifying which train is meant.

Only one big change is made in the time of a southbound train. The train formerly known as 104 is now 7104, and it will run 45 minutes later than formerly. Instead of leaving here at 2:55 P. M. it will not leave until 3:42 P. M. This is a through train between Pittsburgh and Greensburg.

Another change is in train formerly No. 106. This train, to be known as 7106, will arrive here at 7:07 P. M. instead of 7:15 P. M. The only other change is in train No. 100. This train is now 7100, and instead of arriving at 8 A. M. will get here at 7:54. The time of other trains is not altered.

FAKE WEIGHTS ALLEGED**Sealer of Weights May Be Asked to
Probe Turkey Scales.**

It is said that the city sealer of weights and measures will be asked to investigate turkey weights during the Christmas season. There is complaint among some of the dealers that people are charged a pound or a pound and a half extra for dressed turkeys, through various tricks of the trade.

There are two kinds of dressed fowls it is charged—those that are thoroughly cleaned with the head and feet removed, and those with half the innards left in and with half the head and feet. For the latter kind of dressed fowls, the dealer gets about a pound more weight than he is entitled to. By leaving the fowl's craw filled and the body only partly cleaned much weight is added by means of the innards.

Turkeys for Christmas will not be scarce but will be high in price, nevertheless. Dealers are now taking orders anywhere from 30 cents up for dressed birds, and the belief is that the price will run from 32 to 35 cents.

JUMP TO ESCAPE FIRE**Uniontown Couple Awake to Find
Dwellings a Mass of Flames.**

Awakened by the barking of dogs, shortly after midnight, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jaak of North Pittsburgh street, Uniontown, found the lower floors of their residence in flames. All weights left in and with half the head and feet. For the latter kind of dressed fowls, the dealer gets about a pound more weight than he is entitled to. By leaving the fowl's craw filled and the body only partly cleaned much weight is added by means of the innards.

The house, an eight-room frame structure, was a mass of flames when the firemen arrived, and they had difficulty in saving the adjoining buildings.

CHAUFFEURS DOMESTIC SERVANTS**Placed in That Class by Workmen's
Compensation Board.**

A ruling just handed down by the Workmen's Compensation Board declares that the ordinary private chauffeur, while acting as such, is engaged in domestic service within the meaning of the law, and is therefore not covered by the provisions of the Compensation Act.

The board also rules that charitable corporations, colleges, hospitals, and like institutions, are employers within the meaning of the act, and subject to its provisions.

Arms Company Sold.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 9.—An announcement was made today of the sale of the Marlin Fire Arms Company of its plant here to the Marlin Arms Corporation, a new company, which filed articles of incorporation at Albany, N. Y. yesterday with a capital stock of \$300,000.

**ANOTHER INDUSTRY
SEEKS TO LOCATE
IN CONNELLSVILLE****International Coupler Com-
pany Will Put Prop-
osition Up.****WOULD MAKE SAFETY COUPLING****Ingenious Device Which Couples
Steam, Air and Electric Connections
Without Human Aid, Tested Success-
fully by Western Maryland Railroad**

Another new industry that looks good to several men of business acumen who have investigated it, is knocking at Connelville's doors. The International Coupler Company, controlling patents on an ingenious car coupler of this railroad's type, is displaying its models in the Welch building on South Pittsburgh street, and representatives will appear before a meeting of business men in the near future, presenting their proposition.

C. W. Boals, the demonstrator, is a former Connelville man, having run a locomotive on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad when Mayor Marlette and a few other old timers were on the job. The device, which the company is a combination coupler, known as the "International automatic train pipe coupling system," it eliminates entirely the use of hose in coupling all train pipes. It connects steam and air pipes and electric wires without the touch of human hands. Its value as a safety appliance is evident when it is shown that it is no longer necessary for a trainman to go between cars to make a connection of this railroad and the Pennsylvania railroad. All this is done automatically and satisfactorily, as tests on the Western Maryland railroad between Baltimore and Cumberland have proven. The couplers have been in use for 14 months on two sections of this railroad and the representatives here have letters from H. P. Warnock, superintendent of motive power of the road, declaring that they are altogether satisfactory.

The International Coupler Company is looking for a site and Connelville has many features that appeal to it. The representatives declare, it would take at least \$50,000, and a free site to bring the factory here. The factory would cost \$300,000 in the United States and three times that many in the world. The promoters figure that there will be a tremendous demand for the couplers. The device is adaptable to any kind of car and locomotive. It saves the saving of time and the durability of the coupler, would make it appeal to railroad managements. A factory eventually would employ thousands of men the year round.

There are 10 patents covering the couplers, all of them invented by Walter Carman White of Los Angeles, Cal., who has ascribed his rights to the company. Other prominent western men are interested in the couplers. A brass ball-joint invented by Mr. White, is a vital part of the coupler in taking care of all motions and variations of the cars. This in itself would be a profitable appliance to manufacture. It is a great demand for a self-tightening flexible pipe joint.

BIG MERGER SURE**Replique Certain That Steel Com-
panies Will Join New Combine.**

J. Leonard Replique, leader in the plan to merge a number of big steel interests in the country, held a long conference with persons representing 50,000 shares of Cambria Steel stock at Johnstown yesterday. It was announced that the conference was called by Replique, who submitted a proposition to the stockholders, asking for an option on the shares at \$30. He said later he had optioned about all of the 50,000 shares and all sales will be on a cash basis.

The plan being promoted by Replique is said to be the merging of the Cambria Steel Company, the Lackawanna Steel Company, the Newport News Ship Building Company, the Youngstown Steel & Tube Company and other the inland or the Ironclad Steel Company, near Chicago. Replique stated that the merger would probably be completed within the next 10 days, and will mean a new concern one-third the size of the United States Steel Corporation.

RESUMES PAVING.**Contractor Dick Takes Last Stretch
on Pittsburgh Street.**

Work on North Pittsburgh street again began this morning when Contractor J. L. Dick decided to take a chance with the weather man. The luck between North alley and Fayette street were all torn up and traffic was closed. The brick are ready to be laid and as soon as the street is put on the paving will commence. A day of good weather would give Contractor Dick the chance he needs.

Traffic now goes out North alley to Eighth street and around to Pittsburgh street again by way of Fayette street.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

The annual Christmas bazaar and chicken and waffle supper given under the auspices of the congregation of the Trinity Lutheran Church will be held this evening and tomorrow evening in the social room of the church. The Ladies' Aid Society is in charge of the supper and the ladies are expected to bring unusually large crowds. The King's Daughters are in charge of the bazaar, and the attractive decorated booths are laden with all kinds of fancy wares, as well as articles of more staple nature. All kinds of home-made candy will be on sale. Christmas decorations prevail.

Arrangements are being made for the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Grand International Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers of this city on January 12. Plans were discussed at the regular meeting of the auxiliary held yesterday afternoon in Odd Fellows' Hall. The following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, Mrs. G. L. Fries; vice president, Mrs. Beuchler; secretary, Mrs. E. S. Marsh; insurance secretary, Mrs. John Layton; guard, Mrs. Harry Vanstone; and sentinel, Mrs. Charles Vail. The remainder of the officers are appointed. The meeting was well attended.

The first quarterly conference of the United Brethren Church will be held this evening in the church. Rev. J. S. Fulton of Johnston will preach.

A Bible Institute and young people's meeting was held yesterday afternoon and evening in the First Baptist Church. The speakers were Dr. Herbert Agate of Sewickley, and Dr. L. N. Stephenson of Philadelphia.

The William Workers' Mission Band of the Christian Church will hold a concert tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Walter Schenck on the corner of Patterson avenue and South Pittsburgh street. Japanese curios will be on sale.

The Children's Mission Band of the Lutheran Church will meet Saturday afternoon in the church.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist Church will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. T. T. Irwin in Johnston avenue.

The regular meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian Church will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Irwin at 7:15 o'clock street car.

The lecture which was to have been delivered tomorrow evening in the First Methodist Episcopal Church by Dr. W. H. Crawford, president of the Allegheny College at Meadville, under the auspices of the Men's Bible Class of the Sunday school, has been postponed indefinitely. The next number on the course will be a lecture Tuesday evening, December 14, by W. R. Wedderburn of Washington.

Mrs. Charles Wilson entertained at cards last evening at her home at Dunbar. At the close of the evening were awarded Mrs. J. M. Young and J. C. Whiteley. Luncheon was served. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Young, and Mrs. J. C. Whiteley and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Treher of Connellsville.

The William P. Kurz Post, No. 101, Grand Army of the Republic, will

The Grim Reaper

JOHN NICHOLSON.
John Nicholson, a retired mine foreman, died early yesterday morning at his home in Carnegie. Mr. Nicholson was born in Glasgow, Scotland, and came to this country when a young man. He settled at Parkville, where he began his career in the mines. Since then he had been employed in the coke and coal districts of Connellsville, Greensburg, Coalport and Carnegie. He retired about a year ago. Mr. Nicholson was survived by his widow, two sons, a daughter and several brothers and sisters, including Alexander Nicholson and Mrs. Margaret Dettling of near Connellsville.

REBECCA A. MONROE.
Mrs. Rebecca A. Monroe, 92 years old, died Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hertzig in Springhill township. Funeral services were held this afternoon from the Oak Grove church in Springhill township.

MRS. SAMUEL S. CROUSE.
Mrs. Samuel S. Crouse, 43 years old, died Tuesday evening at her home at Somerset. Services were held this morning at 10 o'clock from the family residence.

New Duluth Plant in Operation.
Operations at the new plant of the Minnesota Steel Company, a Steel Corporation subsidiary at Duluth, Minn., have started. The first blast furnace having blown in. It is expected that the first of the open-hearth steel furnaces will start in a fortnight.

Record Exports.
NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Exports from the port of New York during the month of November exceeded \$180,000,000, the largest amount in the history of the port, according to estimates made today by custom house officials.

Released From Lockup.
V. C. O'Donnell of Everson, who was held in the lockup to await investigation of a charge that he robbed a peddler of \$3.25, was released from the city lockup today.

Baby Boy at Springers.
A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Springer this morning. This is the first child. Mr. Springer is a teacher of mathematics at the high school and also coaches the football team.

More Extensions at Lackawanna.
Further extensions to both the open hearth steel works and to the finishing department of the Lackawanna Steel Company at Buffalo have been authorized.

Notice.
Parade for Christmas. Room lots of Wall Paper at one-half price. Also good business in 1916 Wall Paper. Phone 1000. Wall Paper Co., Bell phone.

Hospital Head Quits.
Miss Grace G. Brumby has tendered her resignation as superintendent of the Uniontown Hospital to take effect before Christmas. Miss Brumby's successor has not been named.

To Hold Turkey Supper.
A turkey supper will be held this evening in the dining room of the Cochran Memorial Methodist Church at Dawson under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church.

Stephen Phillips, Poet, Dies.
LONDON, Dec. 8.—Stephen Phillips, aged 47, poet and dramatist, is dead at Deal, England.

Dance at Leisening.
A dance will be held tomorrow evening in the H. C. Fick auditorium at Leisening No. 1 under the auspices of the Leisening band.

Hunting Burglars?
If so, read the advertising columns of The Daily Courier. You'll find 'em.

The Christmas Store of Many Gift Things, at Money Saving Prices—COME!

CROCHET SLIPPERS
Crochet Bedroom Slippers in blue, black, lavender, or gray; prettily trimmed with ribbons; all sizes **59c**



CHRISTMAS GLOVES OF QUALITY AND WORTH
Women's Kid or Lambskin Gloves in black, white, brown, tan or grey; two-class style; Centimeter make, **\$1.25**
Women's Fine Glace Kid Gloves in coffee and grey—all the newest shades—two-class style, **\$1.50**
Women's Cape Washable Gloves in the popular coffee, white and grey colors—on-class style, with three rows of stitching—all **\$1.50**
Women's Real Kidskin Gloves in plain back, gray or tan and white, with contrasting stitching; all sizes, at a pair, **\$2.25**

All Christmas Gloves sold in Christmas boxes if desired.

Handsome Street and Evening Dresses

What could be more appreciated than a beautiful dress that could be worn on any occasion. Beautiful styles to select from that are quality certain and are sure to give satisfaction. Dresses for all figures, even to the stoutest, as we have them up to 50 bust measure.

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' DRESSES
Made of all-wool serge in navy, black and colors; well adapted for street wear. **\$5**
WOMEN'S AND MISSES' DRESSES
Made of fine serges and silks, also in combination, in all desirable colorings. **\$10**

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' DRESSES
Made of taffeta and messaline silk in very beautiful models, perfectly tailored. **\$15**
WOMEN'S AND MISSES' DRESSES
Made of finest silks and crepe—chic in models of rare beauty and style. **\$25**

UMBRELLAS FOR CHRISTMAS GIVING—Hundreds of new Umbrellas here for your choosing in this acceptable gift article. Priced at 98c to **\$10.00**

Open Evenings Until 6—Saturday Until 10 o'clock

The E. Dunn Store

N. Pittsburg St. Connellsville, Pa.

\$1.00 WAISTS, 79c.
Women's Fine Waists in lawn, batiste and organdies, slightly soiled from handling. Choice at **79c**
(Second Floor)

BOXED HOSIERY FOR CHRISTMAS

Because of its usefulness and practicability, Hosiery is one of the most acceptable gift-things—and this special quality of boxed hosiery will prove of unusual interest to gift seekers—Included are these:

WOMEN'S BLACK COTTON HOSE
With lavender tops—regular 25c values—three in a box at **75c**

WOMEN'S THREAD Lisle HOSE
In black—regular 35c values—four pair in a box at **\$1.00**

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE
In black, white and all colors—regular 50c values—three in a box at **\$1.35**

Women's Silk Hose in black, white and all colors—regular \$1.00 values—three in a box at \$2.75



Women's Novelty Silk Hose in the newest effects—regular \$1.00 values—three in a box at \$2.75

Women's Silk Hose with Fancy Colored Tops—regular \$1.50 values—three in a box at \$4.00

Toilet Goods, Perfumes and Toilet Waters

Extra fine quality, imported and domestic, all orders, each put up in a Christmas Box. Specially priced at, a bottle, 24c, 39c, 49c.

IVORY MANICURE SETS

Set of 6 pieces, includes Nail File, Buffer, Orange Stick, Cuticle Knife, Shoe Hook and Tweezers. In neat leather cases. **\$1.50**

EBONY HAIR BRUSHES

Made of good grades of ebony, with genuine bristles; a useful gift, at **\$1.25**



PERFUMERY

LEATHER GOODS FOR CHRISTMAS

Traveling Bags, Suit Cases and Leather Traveling Sets. Priced at \$1.55 up to **\$10**

PRETTY BATH ROBES

Very pretty Bathrobes, made of heavy eiderdown, in handsome patterns in dark shades, with cord and tassels. Special at **\$2.00**

Fine Quality Bathrobes, made full and large, with roll collars, in patterns of new designs and colorings, are wonderful values; sizes to fit every woman. Special \$2.50

STYLISH WAISTS

New Waists, made of fine nainsook and batiste, elegantly trimmed with fine laces and embroideries, in very newest designs. Special **\$2.00**

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Cost Nearly \$600,000,000 During the Past Year.

The annual report of Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer, state superintendent of public instruction, reveals the fact that more money was spent in Pennsylvania for schools during the fiscal year ending July 5, 1915 than was carried in the budgets of the Federal government before the Civil War.

The total cost of maintaining the 1,792 schools in the state, including school buildings, teachers' salaries, text books, supplies and all other items of expense, was \$58,114,225. An army of 41,283 teachers were employed, and 1,401,937 pupils were enrolled. Dr. Schaeffer estimates that there were 150,000 pupils in private and parochial schools this year, and that the average per pupil was \$1.77, as against \$1.85 in 1914.

Concerning the operation of the continuation schools, which will open January 1st, Dr. Schaeffer is of the opinion that it will not be easy to work out the problems which will arise. Some minors will be dismissed from work and forced back into school; others will be continued at work. For the former provision will have to be made in the schools, and for the latter a suitable type of instruction must be given. Others will drop out of work and keep truant officers busy, because school life loses its attraction once a boy secures a useful employment.

ALLIES MUST MAKE FIRST PEACE MOVE SAYS CHANCELLOR

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not be requisitioned but held pending decision of the prize court. In the meantime Great Britain assures the United States that no other vessels of the company will be seized.

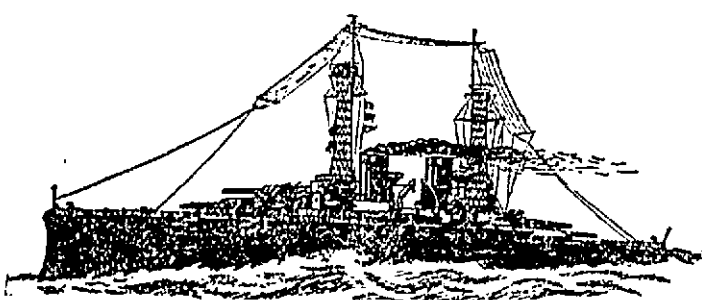
FRENCH ARTILLERY DESTROYS GERMAN MORTARS DEPOT
PARIS, Dec. 8.—In the Champagne district French artillery has caused the explosion of a German depot of munitions at a point near St.

BULGARIANS TAKE FOUR SERBIAN FRONTIER TOWNS
BUEKIN, Dec. 8.—Four towns near the southwestern Serbian frontier have been taken by the Bulgarians, the war office announced today.

They are Ochrida, 18 miles north of the Greek border; Struga, northeast of Ochrida; Dibra, 25 miles above Ochrida, and Djakova, over the border of southwestern Montenegro.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND
Largest and most famous of all pills in Great Britain. Sold by all druggists everywhere.

Two Steamers Sunk.
LONDON, Dec. 8.—The British steamer Verba and the Greek steamer Goulundris have been sunk.



Preparedness The Vital Factor—

not alone in affairs of the Nation, but with the health of every citizen.
One seldom knows when the common enemy, sickness, in one form or another, is about to strike; and the best form of preparedness is to keep body and brain healthy.
Active brains and vigorous bodies are the result of right living—food plays a big part.

Grape-Nuts

FOOD

made of whole wheat and malted barley, supplies all the bone-and-brain-building, nerve-and-muscle-making elements of the grains, including the vital salts, phosphate of potash, etc., often lacking in the diet of many, but imperative for bounding good health.

Grape-Nuts is easily digested—comes ready for table directly the germ-proof, moisture-and-dust-proof packet is opened. With good milk or cream Grape-Nuts supplies complete nourishment.

A ration of Grape-Nuts each day is a safe play for health, and

"There's a Reason"

—sold by Grocers everywhere.

Mount Pleasant

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 9.—The Mount Pleasant township high school football team celebrated a successful season with a banquet at the Calumet House on Tuesday evening. Coach J. R. McNaughton presided over the banquet as toastmaster. The other members of the faculty who were present were: L. R. Rumbach, D. H. Haberlin and W. S. Barnhart. Several after dinner addresses were made. J. Ralph Kromer was elected captain of next year's football team. The following are letter men on the team: Moore, Dillon, Kromer, Myers, Hille, Hoertz, Ramsey, Hyde, Wally, C. Spilko, Hays, Hoymann, Fisher, J. Spilko and Lohr.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren Church, held a pink tea at the church yesterday afternoon. The men of the First Reformed Church held a turkey supper at the church on Tuesday evening. Sixty members were present. The leading address of the evening was made by Rev. Dunsire of Latrobe.

Everything is in readiness for the play, "The Stolen Diamond," which will be held at the Mount Pleasant township high school on Friday evening of this week.

Mrs. H. W. Stoner left yesterday morning for Gibson City, Illinois to visit Mrs. Shannon Griffith and daughter during the holidays.

Mrs. Kirby Miller and Mrs. Beut Barnhart left yesterday for Pittsburgh to visit friends.

CONFERENCE.

CONFERENCE, Dec. 9.—Miss Elsie Jones was a caller in Ohioville yesterday.

David Cronin was a business visitor in Somerset yesterday.

Turkeys of which there is quite a supply in this vicinity, are being brought after and are sold for Christmas at a rapid rate.

Wayne Conway was a business caller at Somerset yesterday.

J. E. Verney of Cumberland, Md., was a business visitor here yesterday.

Miss Ida McDonald, who has been at Lisbon, O., for the past several months as a milliner, arrived home last evening.

H. D. Rhoadhouse of Pittsburgh was a business visitor here yesterday.

Constable James Dunnell of Ursina was here yesterday on his way to Somerset on business.

H. S. Lan, vice of a commission, was here yesterday on his way to Somerset to visit friends.

OHIOVILLE.

OHIOVILLE, Dec. 9.—Chris Show spent yesterday in Connelville on business.

Charles Burdworth, Thomas Spauld, George Purvorth and Albert Burns were among the business callers in town yesterday.

Timothy Arnold, this section, are not taking their boats, as they are not in the water.

HOW TO GET THIS \$2.25 ALUMINUM GRIDDLE AT A SAVING OF \$1.40

Get 50 cents worth of Karo from your grocer, and send the labels to us together with 85 cents and we'll send you this \$2.25 Solid Aluminum Griddle by prepaid parcel post.

HERE is a clean cash saving of \$1.40—and thousands of housewives have already taken advantage of this remarkable chance to get an aluminum griddle for less than the wholesale price.

This Aluminum Griddle needs no greasing. It doesn't chip or rust. It heats uniformly over entire baking surface—doesn't burn the cakes in one spot and leave them underdone in another. It doesn't smoke up the kitchen—and the cakes are more digestible than when fried in grease.

At great expense we are seeking to place a Karo Aluminum Griddle in the homes of all Karo users, so that Karo—the famous spread for griddle cakes and waffles—may be served on the most deliciously baked cakes that can be made.

You know Karo, of course. Nearly everybody does—65,000,000 cans sold last year alone. And you doubtless know the wonderful cleanliness and durability of Aluminum ware.

If you are a Karo user already then you know all about this wonderful syrup—you know how fine it is as a spread for bread; how delicious it is with griddle cakes, waffles, hot biscuits and corn bread.

Get 50 cents worth of Karo from your grocer at once, and send the labels and 85 cents (P. O. money order or stamps) to us and get one of these Aluminum Griddles by prepaid parcel post.

Remember that our supply is going fast—so get your Karo today. We will also send you free one of the famous Corn Products Cook Books.

Corn Products Refining Company
P. O. Box 161 New York Dept. EX



They claim it is due to the wet season. Thomas Grady was a business caller in Uniontown yesterday.

Miss Elsie Beggs of Confluence, was calling on friends here yesterday.

Mrs. Richard Rice spent Wednesday the guest of friends in Confluence.

William Johnson left last evening for Uniontown to transact business.

William Gloriot had his home wired for electric lights on Monday.

they will spend several days among friends.

W. J. McFarland was a business caller here yesterday.

Miss Geneva Cole of Lebanon, was calling on relatives here yesterday.

Miss Clara Biggs was calling on Connelville friends and shopping yesterday.

O. H. Stichel of Lebanon, was a business caller here yesterday.

J. M. Ellis was a business caller here yesterday.

INDIAN CRICKET.

INDIAN CRICKET, Dec. 9.—Hattie Davidson of Mill Run, was a business caller here yesterday.

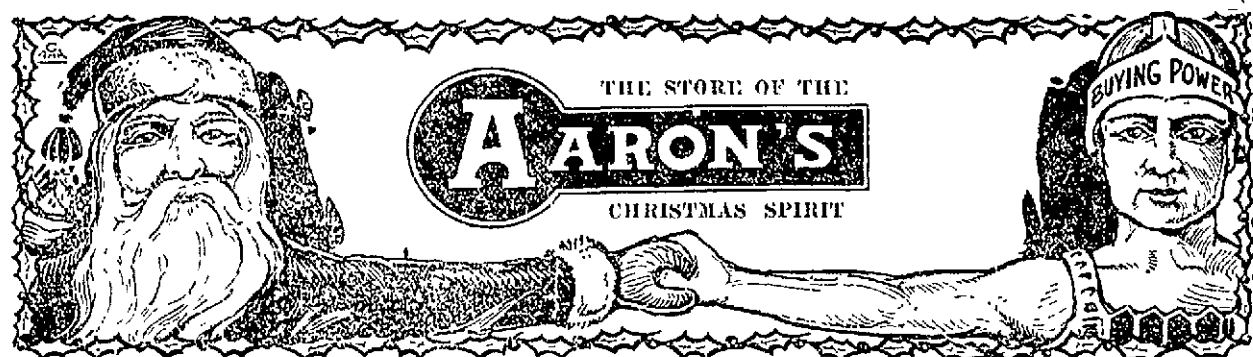
A. B. Korn of Mill Run, was a caller in Connelville yesterday.

W. C. Michael of Connelville, was here yesterday on business.

Mrs. F. L. Cough of Mill Run, Park St. left for Pittsburgh last evening where

A. N. & W. Coal Deal.

The Norfolk & Western railroad is reported to have closed deals on the purchase of the Virginia & Kentucky railroad, seven miles running between Norton and Wise in the Virginia coal fields and will extend it several miles into a rich undeveloped coal field contiguous to the Kentucky state line.



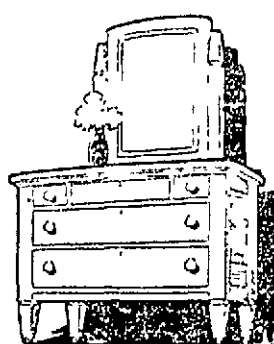
Santa Claus Is Working Hand in Hand With Buying Power

Santa Claus is creating the desire for this beautiful furniture as Christmas gifts and buying power makes it possible to fulfill this desire.

Buying power has brought down the prices of our furniture to a point where it is being sold

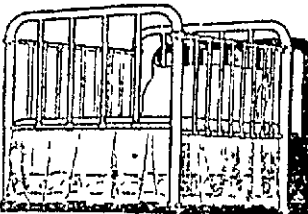
for less than the cheap grades of unattractive furniture, poorly designed, and poorly made, and credit convenience enables you to buy this furniture at the low prices.

Specials of This Nature Are Spread Out on Every Floor!



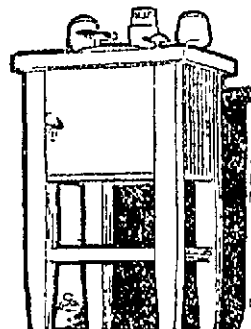
\$23.50 White Enamel Dresser \$16.75

This Dresser is just as pictured has 10 inch top, two large drawers and three small drawers. 30x18 In. French Plate Mirror an Ideal Dresser for the Guest Room.



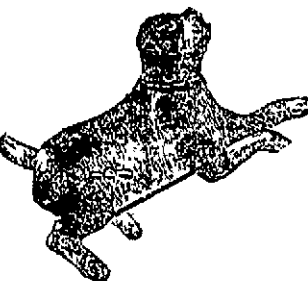
Children's Crib Beds; Ranging in Price From \$5.75 to \$15

A very useful gift for the baby that can be used for years to come.



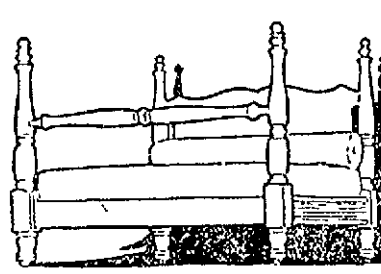
Smoking Stands of Every Description—Prices \$15 Range from \$1.25 to \$15

Golden Oak Fumed Oak, Cherry, English and Mahogany. Prices range from \$1.25 to \$15.00.



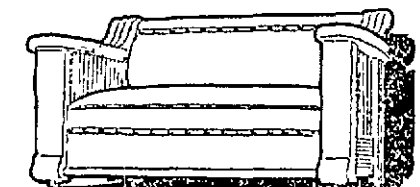
200 Jumping Dogs; On Sale Saturday Only 35c

Wind up with key and dog will jump quite a distance. See them in display window. (No telephone orders.)



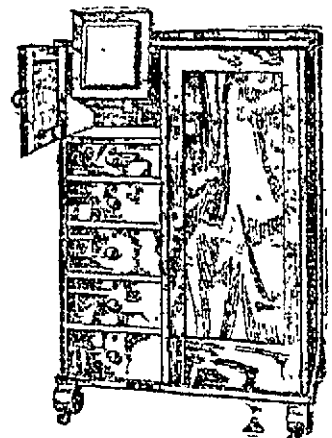
Regular \$36.00 4-Post Bed \$24.50

You can have your choice of either Genuine Mahogany, or genuine Cherry. Without the design is exactly as illustrated and makes a wonderful beautiful bed.



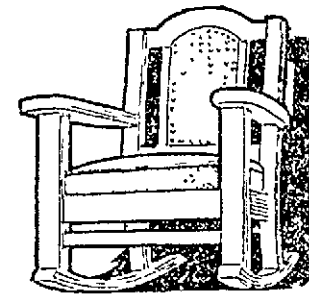
\$45.00 Duo-Fold Bed Davenport \$29.00

This beautiful Davenport is just as pictured has spring edge seat, something not ordinarily found in Davenports at this price. Guaranteed Spanish imitation leather upholstery, genuine quartered oak frame in fumed oak finish, spring seat and back. Opens into full size bed with two motions.



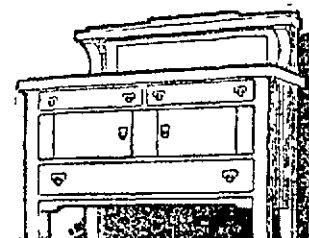
A Bachelor Wardrobe for Your Husband, Son or Father \$21.50

What Gift could you give a man that would be more appreciated than this handsome Bachelor Wardrobe. This is what he wants. It has a place in it to keep everything he wears—hat box, 5 drawers and a full length wardrobe that will accommodate 3 complete suits of clothes. Make your selection now while the assortment is big.



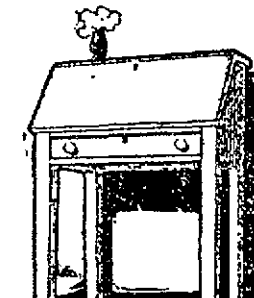
\$17.00 Genuine Leather Rockers \$12.75

This beautiful Rocker is just as you see it pictured above. It is a cane back genuine leather upholstered spring, slip seat, genuine quartered oak frame.



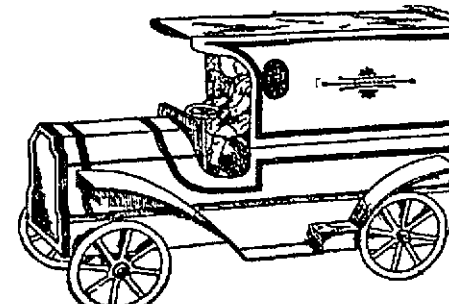
Regular \$42 Fumed Oak Buffet \$29

Just as pictured, has 18 inch plank top, copper trimmings, large French plate, revealed mirror, large linen drawer and dish cabinet.



Ladies' Writing Desks \$4.75 to \$50

A great collection of Ladies' Writing Desks made in genuine quarter sawed oak, heavily English or Fumed Oak finish, genuine Mahogany and Circassian Walnut.



Auto Delivery Van; On Sale Thursday Only 39c

Length 11 inches; width 5 inches, height 7 inches. Wind up with a key and will run quite a distance over the floor. All metal and very strong and durable. (No telephone orders.)

Loaded Truck and Horse; On Sale Saturday Only 75c

This is a perfect miniature of a delivery wagon. It is loaded with a Turkish Horse (imported) on platform, the horse being fully harnessed in leather and the wagon attractively painted in pleasing red and black stripes. Seat for driver. Yellow iron wheels. The wagon equipped with general assortment of miniature package groceries.

Underneath of Truck and Horse 24 inches, Horse stands 9 1/2 inches high on wooden platform. (No telephone orders.)

Recipe—
For scrubbing floors, linoleums and woodwork dissolve a tablespoonful of Gold Dust in a pail of hot water

In millions of homes Gold Dust is used every day, because it abolishes rubbing and scrubbing.

Gold Dust—the active cleaner—dissolves quickly in hot or cold water, forming an active, antiseptic cleaning solution which will not scratch nor mar the finest polished surface.

Its activity begins the moment it is applied to any article that requires cleaning.

Use it for cleaning floors, linoleum, china. Also for cleaning porcelain, kitchen utensils, silver, enameled and plated ware, woodwork, windows and bathroom fixtures.

You will find simple directions printed on every package of Gold Dust.

It is inexpensive and indispensable.

Five-cent and larger packages sold everywhere

THE H. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY
MAKERS

GOLD DUST

The Active Cleaner

The Daily Courier.

Entered as second class matter at the postoffice, Connelville, Pa.

THE CONNELL COMPANY,
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THURSDAY EVENG. DEC. 9, 1915.

ADVERTISING TAKERS.

American publishers and advertisers, through their national organization, have made recent progress of the Federal Trade Commission seem to use its functions and powers to deter all advertising takers from the mails.

The Postoffice Department, of its own initiative, has done much in the direction of protecting the public and guiding the public from certain forms of thievery perpetrated through the mails. Stock-jobbing schemes were a common form of this swindling, which claimed thousands as its victims before it had its opportunity to prey very much restricted. There remain a great and widely diversified host of dishonest enterprises which flourish through fraudulent advertising.

Several of the states have enacted drastic legislation prohibiting the advertisement in any form of certain articles, the merchandising of which has become illegal within the state boundaries. Pennsylvania has a law which makes it a misdemeanor to disseminate, by means of any periodical, circular, letter or other form of advertisement, false or misleading statements or assertions concerning any merchandise, securities or services. It effectively enforces this law would meet the situation so far as residents of Pennsylvania are found to be offenders. It cannot, however, reach beyond the border and bring the unscrupulous dealers of other states to account.

There being no concert of state legislation upon this matter, the remedy would appear to lie with the Federal authorities, who can perform no more useful service than to prevent the circulation of deceptive advertising matter designed to swindle and defraud. The pernicious offenders of this class have increased so largely in number and become so brazen and pernicious in their methods, that publishers believe the interests of legitimate business, and the peace of the public, should be protected against this form of outwitting; hence the appeal of this organization to a Federal body.

The Trade Commission ought to call to its aid the Trust funders, who, with a real inspired by the necessity of creating a campaign in behalf of their interests, have made splendid and abiding attempts to protect the common people from the alleged tyranny, encroachments and abuses of monopoly. As a more fruitful field for their activities, and as a new opportunity for display of their energies, The Courier would commend to these diligent guardians of the common weal a campaign designed to "Beat the Advertising Takers."

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS.

Among the adjuncts of the Democratic Administration, created by the 64th session of Congress, was the Commission on Industrial Relations, appointed for the ostensible purpose of making an impartial, fair and enlightening investigation into the relations existing between employers and employees in industrial enterprises. Months of time and large sums of money were spent by this commission in the work it was presumably designed to perform.

During the course of the hearings held by the commission of labor, we appeared before it as witnesses, were interrogated and grilled by Frank P. Walsh, the chairman, and some of his committee members, who apparently concluded the witnesses to be tyrants and despots and treated them as such. The unkindness of the questioning and prejudiced proceedings caused us to conduct an investigation in the interests of truth and fairness, were repeated and strikingly demonstrated, and finally culminated in the majority report submitted to Congress.

With the approach of another session of Congress, Walsh and a number of his associates have organized themselves into a self-styled Committee of Industrial Relations, with the evident intent to mislead the public into the belief that they constitute the official Commission appointed by Congress. With a complete office outfit, and an investigative and gifted publicity agent, this organization is entering upon an ambitious campaign to circumvent "the many forces at work to defeat the aspirations of the common people."

The trainmaker-loyal is carrying this war. His latest exploit was in Ohio, Pennsylvania may present more opportunities for trainmaking than some of the flat countries, but there is something intensely ludicrous to the practice in the very atmosphere of this state, and criminals of this character have been giving us a wide berth in consequence.

Lansdowne Hill ought to have chains put on it.

Every graduate of the Connelville High School is a member of the alumni, says one of the members. Some of the alumni who graduated from the Connelville schools when they were all in one department are still sticking around.

Mount Pleasant is tired of one-horse trolley service.

The Democrats are always looking for a cause there is not enough profit in the county offices in Fayette when the profits of the system are \$19,000 in one month nobody is satisfied, because it means human sacrifices.

It begins to look as if a portion of the foreign coal trade would be thrust upon American operators.

The Shoemaker Order of Charlemagne announces its candidacy for the Democratic nomination against President

Wilson. Callaghan ought to sound well to Tammany.

President Wilson boasts that the Republicans have no issue but the tariff. That's enough in itself, but it isn't all. The President will be surprised to learn the number and variety of the objections to his administration after they have been duly classified and proven for publication.

Two-dollar coal ought to bring three-dollar coke, but perhaps not for the same reason.

In casting about for objects for taxation, President Wilson overlooked cotton. But cotton is Democratic.

The Connelville doctor who has an automobile which has run seven years with practically no outlay for repairs should disburse from his mind the thought of buying a new machine. He is evidently the fortunate possessor of the modern "one horse shay."

The business man's Christmas shopping this year includes Workman's Compensation.

Sops throats are the proper thing just now. Also those furs the ladies wear around their necks. Mere man can suffer or wear his sock.

The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company want permission to fence off Water street, and the reasons it gives are good. The plan appeals to public safety. At the same time justice to the city demands that in giving its consent no rights should be waived.

Congressman Hopwood is in favor of spending millions for defense provided it means protection also.

The exodus of Connelville policemen to court this week is unwise and we think unnecessary. The conservation of justice demands that he servants and agents shall not jostle each other in the administration of the law.

The earthquake at Saint Louis is probably just a forerunner of the Democratic National Convention.

The Pittsburgh box factory fire will be investigated by newspaper publishers. The authorities are determined to shut off public criticism of the verdict of this particular inquest.

Among the many statements of many minds at Washington, Preparedness is taking many forms.

The busiest industry in the country just now is the Government printing office at Washington.

The Connelville murder case was merely one of dark suspicion. The jury acquitted the defendant in five minutes.

Bachelors

By GEORGE FITCH.

Author of "At Good Old Swast."

A bachelor is a man who comes home late on a cold, dark night and finds a warm and efficient "welcome" from the hot back.

When a man has arrived at the age of thirty without exhibiting the slightest interest in the cost of living, at the increasing outlandishness of millinery, he may properly be called a bachelor. Bachelors are of two kinds—self-made and inherited. The first kind is a man who is too foolish to marry. The second kind is produced by women who are too wise to marry. Owing to the increasing tendency to frugality and the decreasing tendency to extravagance, bachelors are more numerous.

Bachelors live alone as a rule, but are kept in a possible state of repair by their landladies. They are very hardy and will eat almost anything. If you are in doubt as to whether a man is a bachelor or not, invite him to dinner. If he accepts with a hungry look in his eyes, he is either a bachelor or a man with a peculiar taste in food. If he eats it without a remark and grabs his coffee cup about the waist instead of by the handle, you can safely bet that he is a bachelor from the lightning lunch belt.

Bachelors are most attractive between the ages of thirty and forty, during which time they live in an excellent state of preservation and are able to dodge heliases and cherry girls, matrimonially speaking, with ease and grace. Between forty and fifty, the bachelor becomes more positive and cannot imagine why young girls of eighteen are so unanimously elsewhere when he calls. From fifty onward bachelors are objects of pity who have alone, pursued by many terrors. It is a sad sight to see a trembling old bachelor holding a forlorn young lady who has been lured to him by some heartless father for the amusement of a large room full of company. At this age the man has before him a sure and certain future.



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BUT, HENRY, THAT'S A GULL, NOT A DOVE



Classified Advertisements

Wanted.

WANTED—YOUR BARBERING BUSINESS. RINDINER. 11000000.

WANTED—TWO DISHWASHERS. APPLY YOUR HOUSE. 11000000.

WANTED—YOUR WATCH REPAIRING. I. W. MYERS, second floor Woodworth Building. 11000000.

WANTED—GIRL, 1500 GENERAL housework. Must have references. Apply 200 Washington Avenue. 11000000.

WANTED—TWO OR THREE ROOMS for light housekeeping. Address "ROOM," The Courier. 11000000.

WANTED—TWO SECOND HAND A. C. motors, about 1/2 H. P. Any condition. WHEELS-BILLS ELECTRIC CO. 11000000.

WANTED—TWO FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. Apply HOPKINS & CLARK, 11000000.

WANTED—GOOD HUSTLING MINE man, with or without certificate. Steady work for light mine. Apply JOHN BYRNE, Altoona, Pa. 11000000.

FOR RENT—FOUR, FIVE AND seven room houses. KAIL. 11000000.

FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE on Hans Avenue, 11000000.

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM HOUSE, modern conveniences. Also store room in good location. Bell Bell phone 1117. 11000000.

FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE with bath on South street. West side. All modern conveniences. 201 South street. Phone 1117. 11000000.

FOR RENT—BLACKSMITH SHOP, Market street, 11000000.

FOR RENT—BLACKSMITH SHOP, 100 Pittsburgh street, Scotland. Bell phone 11000. 11000000.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—CHILD'S IRON BED, good felt mattress. Mrs. Washington, East Main street near Francis Avenue. 11000000.

FOR SALE—MODERN SIX ROOM house in first class condition. Good location for selling. Address K. R. care Courier. 11000000.

FOR SALE—ONE BAY MARE weighing about 100 lbs. Has been used on farm; single line leader and will work any place. Will sell cheap if sold at once. Inquire at NEW SCOTTS DAIRY HOUSE, Scotland, Pa. 11000000.

FOR SALE—SIX ROOM HOUSE with bath. Reception hall, hot air heater, cement cellar. On paved street, sidewalks laid, 2 porches, lot 40 by 120. Fine location. Will sell on easy terms. Address H. J. care Courier, Connelville, Pa. 11000000.

Private Sale of Bank Stock.

FIVE SHARES OF COLONIAL National Bank of Connelville stock will be sold at private sale by McKeesport Title & Trust Company with its office in McKeesport, Pa., on Saturday, December 11, until which time the McKeesport Title & Trust Company will receive written offers for this stock. The McKeesport Title & Trust Company reserves the right to refuse offers which it does not deem satisfactory. McKeesport Title & Trust Co., 11000000.

Executors' Notice.

ESTATE OF DAVID COFFMAN, late of Connelville township, Fayette county, Pa., deceased. Letters of administration on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them, properly authenticated, for settlement. JAMES W. COFFMAN, Scotland, Pa.; ALBERT W. COFFMAN, Altoona, Pa.; R. D. BARNETT, L. G. COFFMAN, Attorneys. 11000000.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST AND MOST convenient building lots for workmen and others. City water, natural gas, electric light, trolley service. Prices range from \$50 to \$100, but mostly range around \$200. Inquire while they last at the office of THE CONNELLSVILLE EXTENSION COMPANY, The Courier Building, Connelville, Pa.

Removal.

I, C. PIERCE HAS REMOVED TO 111 Arch street, opposite city hall. Awmbars and upholstery promptly attended to. 11000000.

\$Foundations\$ for Fortunes\$

Are right here in the advertising columns of this paper. If what you're selling has merit, A D E R T I S E I T. An ad. will sell it for you.

B & B

public announcement

We have re-purchased the entire Boggs & Buhl business and have assumed full charge.

R. H. BOGGS,
HENRY BUHL, Jr.

every section in
the store reflects

the Christmas spirit

There is a bigger aspect than commercialism in the Christmas spirit here. The joy of service—the happiness of being able to make others happy—is the dominant thought of all our employees. Will you come? We promise you our utmost in goods and prices.

Hosiery,
Cushions,
Art Needlework,
Stationery, Etc.
Gloves,
Watches,
Jewelry,
Silverware, Etc.
Leather Goods,
Cutlery,
Toilet Articles,
Handkerchiefs, Etc.
Sporting Goods,
Cameras,
Furs,
Cut Glass, Etc.

Our aim is now, and always has been, and always will be, to give you large assortments and best to be had for the money. Come see the enormous assortments of Christmas things, and how little nice things cost you here.

Boggs & Buhl

PITTSBURGH, PA.

Christmas at Union Supply Co. Stores

Now is a great time at Union Supply Company stores. Every store is decorated; all the Christmas toys and other Christmas articles are displayed, and there is a great rush for the novelties. The stocks are at present very complete, and although there has been much talk of the war interfering with the supply of toys, we believe we have the best assortments this year we have ever had—goods made in America. Come early, or come late; come when it is convenient for you to come. We are not going to dictate when people should do their Christmas shopping. We merely want to say that we are ready to take care of you whenever it is convenient for you to buy—be it today, tomorrow, or Christmas Eve.

In addition to the great line of toys and novelties, the Union Supply Company meat markets and grocery departments are filled up, and will be kept filled, with the choicest line of goods for holiday seasons that ever our stores displayed.

Union Supply Co.

63 Large Department Stores

Located in Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties.

Your Boys' and Girls' Shoes

Need Not Be Clumsy in Appearance
To Wear Well.

We can fit your Boy or Girl in Shoes that will not fall in wear. Shoes that satisfy Parents who buy them, with the splendid service they give.

We fit them perfectly in Shoes, that look right and feel well, and save you money by selling only good Shoes.

HOOPER & LONG'S

The Largest Display of

Candies in

Connellsville Is Here

Let Us Supply Your Christmas Candy.

For we carry everything in Candies, and our home-made can't be improved upon. Our very best home-made Chocolates will sell from 30c to 50 per pound. All kinds of taffy made fresh every day. We carry the best and most up-to-date line of Baskets, Fancy Boxes and Silk Hearts in Connelville.

Our Maple Ice Cream is a Winner.

MIKALARIAS & BERBATS

North Pittsburg St. Connelville, Pa.

SCOTSDALE MEN BRING IN MORE NEW MEMBERS

But They Fall Somewhat Below First Day's Contest Record.

Y. M. C. A. HAS 157 ACCESSIONS

Eastonville Rally Last Night of the Term, and a Stirling Address Made; Band at Work Today to Bring Up the Numbers Towed 500.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTSDALE, Dec. 8.—The third evening of the contest to secure 500 new members for the Y. M. C. A. was a busy one. The teams gathered about the tables in the gymnasium, and the elegant supper was served by the women of the Baptist Church. Rev. H. D. Allen of that church requested Rev. C. W. Terhune of the Methodist Episcopal Church to say grace. At the same table were Rev. E. E. Runk of the United Brethren Church and Rev. J. Alex Agnew of the Christian Church. The ministers are backing the movement strongly, some of them being present every evening.

After the supper, Secretary H. R. Dalton led the men in three rounds of chess for the women who served the supper, chess that made passersby wonder what was going on. Dr. Arthur Walde introduced the speaker of the evening, J. C. Ashmun of Pittsburg, who made one of the most vivid speeches that has ever been given in the association, and showing a wide acquaintance with its work in various places.

"In all my experience," said the speaker, "I've never seen in a town of this size an association building to surpass the Scottdale one. It's up to you to fill it and let its benefits reach every man and boy in this community."

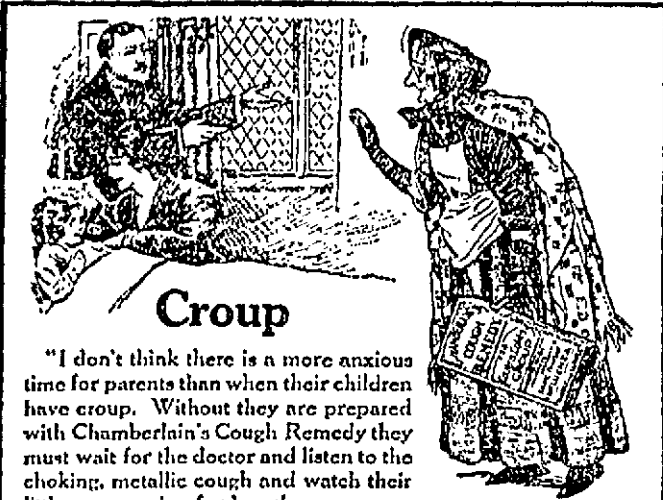
The speaker, who has had much experience in the state work in Kentucky, put into his address and upholding the dominant points of his theme three of the most humorous stories told here by any speaker in a long time.

Secretary Dalton had the reports of the team captains as follows: on members secured during the day:

GIRLS! DRAW A MOIST CLOTH THROUGH HAIR, DOUBLE ITS BEAUTY

Try This! Hair Gets Thick, Glossy, Wavy and Beautiful at Once.

Immediately—Yes? Certain? —that's the joy of it. Your hair appears light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a Danderine hair cleanse. Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or excessive oil, and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair. A delightful surprise awaits those whose hair has been neglected or is wavy, faded, dry, brittle or thin. Besides beautifying the hair, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff, cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair, and lots of it, surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knott's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and just try it.—Adv.



Croup

"I don't think there is a more anxious time for parents than when their children have croup. Without they are prepared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they must wait for the doctor and listen to the choking, metallic cough and watch their little one gasping for breath.

You know the great danger of croup is the formation of a false membrane in the larynx, and until this is expelled relief cannot be obtained, and the spasmodic choking continues. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in frequent doses. It will loosen this membrane and cause the child to expel it by vomiting.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is an absolutely safe and certain remedy for croup, and if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack."

Yours for Health—G. J. Chamberlain

Team No. 1, Charles L. Albright led against the team number 1, a drop of one from the day previous. Ernest Overholt's team reported four, Frank Hill's No. 3 team three new members, the same number as the first day, a feat duplicated by Elmer Schofield's team which again brought in 10 new members. John Buxler's team increased by three new men reporting 12. R. H. Humphries' team brought in four, William Kelly's team six, John Starn's team four, and the boys' team six, a total of 67, making the total to last night of 157 new members.

FRIDAY MEETINGS.

Cottage prayer meetings in preparation for the evangelistic campaign will be held Friday evening at 7:45. The following are the districts, the homes, the street and the leaders:

District No. 1—Home of Samuel J. Zevely, 8400 Pine, leader, Arthur Terhune; Thomas W. Porter, 705 North Chestnut street, Mrs. E. Miller; William S. Loeble, 110 Loucks avenue, J. S. Noh.

District No. 2—J. Howard Cramer, 1101 Loucks avenue, Walter F. Stoner; M. M. Trout, 407 Loucks avenue, Ernest Overholt; Rev. J. E. Hutchinson, 611 Loucks avenue, Mrs. G. W. Terhune; P. O. Peterson, 208 Loucks avenue, Rev. H. D. Allen.

District No. 3—George A. Walker, 425 Mulberry street, Mrs. J. Alex Agnew; Mrs. A. Titterton, 295 Mulberry, Mrs. W. J. Mull; Dr. L. T. Gilbert, 100 North Chestnut street, Dr. G. W. Terhune; S. K. Webb, 401 Broadway, Homer S. Loucks.

District No. 4—John Smith, 24 Homestead avenue, W. H. Slichter; Lloyd Baker, 12 Grove street, Mrs. H. M. Osterweh; John Buxler, White school house, Alfred E. Sider.

District No. 5—H. Reagy, 215 Jennings avenue, Harry Taylor; John H. Walker, 315 Homestead avenue, Rev. H. W. Allen.

District No. 6—Herb L. Reynolds, 601 Market street, M. L. Haseney; W. H. Shiner, 417 Market street, Mrs. Minnie C. Warrick; Henry W. Stauffer, 216 Market street, Rev. S. V. Waughman; M. R. Mumaw, 401 Market street, E. L. Robinson.

District No. 7—Robert Ritchey, 103 Second avenue, Clay Fite; John Buxler, 401 Eleventh avenue, Mrs. Mary S. Dibout; H. A. Bricker, 310 South Chestnut street, Theodore A. Key.

District No. 8—W. E. Lemmon, 45 Fourth avenue, Margaret Wardlow; Blumer Mason, 21 Third avenue, Walter Shiner.

North Scottdale—Home of Joseph H. Hinson, Mrs. William W. Horner.

HAD A FALL.

High school boys sometimes toss their hats or caps up on a high cupboard in the building. Francis Polk, son of Attorney and Mrs. F. B. Polk, climbed up to get his hat and that of another boy yesterday. In getting down his foot caught on a hook and he was thrown over, and struck on a hat hook. A gash was cut in his scalp that required some stitches to close.

COLLARED WITH AUTO.

Alfred Hubick, a boy coasting down Mulberry street on Friday had his sled to add on the icy track throwing it over what the sled and an auto truck collided, injuring the boy seriously, but he is now improving.

PATRON'S DAY.

The annual Patrons' Day exercises will be held in the Scottdale schools tomorrow, with programs in the high school and grade buildings and exhibits of the school work of the pupils. This is the last day of school before the Christmas vacation.

POLO CHAMPION.

A musical treat for the people of this neighborhood is planned in the evening, "The Manger Throne," by Charles Ponteyn Manney, which will be given by the Monday Music Club in the First Baptist Church on Thursday evening, December 10, at 8 o'clock. The program which will be a varied one of vocal and instrumental selections will be under the direction of Mrs. F. E. Slough. There will be no admission fee, but a donor offering will be taken the proceeds of which are to go to the Associated Charities of town.

BASKETBALL FRIDAY.

Scottdale will have for their opponents on the basketball floor at Chaworth auditorium on Friday evening the Jeannette Athletics, a team that will make the locals play their hardest game. The Stars have in their lineup Walters, Davis, Kelly, Goldman and Carson. These players are known to all basketball fans as putting up a game worth going a good distance to see.

Xmas 15 Days Away--The Rush is On

But 15 Shopping days. Shop now—tomorrow—and in the morning if possible. The big store is in superb Christmas readiness to supply our thousands of patrons with tried and true merchandise, for which we are known.

Less You Forget

Christmas Handbags.....75c to \$2.00
Embroidered Dresser Sets.....75c to \$2.25
Scent and Cushions.....75c to \$2.00
Phoenix Quilted Hose.....75c and \$1.00
Ladies' Silk Underwear.....\$1.50 and \$2.00
Velour and Tapestry Library Cushions.....50c
Fancy Dress Baskets for Flowers.....50c
Pin Cushions, many shapes.....25c and 50c

IVORY TOILET ARTICLES.

We have an interesting collection of these goods now for Holiday buyers. Our prices will be found highly attractive for the desirable qualities here.

Hair Brushes.....25c
Mirrors.....50c
Combs.....25c
Hair Brushes.....25c
Puff Boxes 25c to \$1.00
Trinket Boxes 25c to \$1

Neat Buffets.....25c
Shoe Horns.....25c to 50c
Button Hooks, Nail Files, Salve Boxes, Each.....\$25 to 50c



Best Looking Toy Dept.

Thousands of Dolls, Novelties, Games and Mechanical Toys—amusing, instructive and useful—at prices the lowest in the city.

PIANOS
SHOO FLIES
DESKS
DOLL BEDS
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DRUMS
TOOL CHESTS
FOLDING TABLES
DOLL GO-CARTS
SEWING MACHINES
PAINTS

IRON WAGONS
WHEELBARROWS
BLACKBOARDS
DOLL HOUSES
KID DOLLIES
DISHES

Less You Forget

Bath Robes for Men, Women and Children, \$1.95 up
Umbrellas for Men and Women, from \$1.00 upward
Men's Undies and Night Shirts.....50c to \$1.50
Men's Kid Gloves, plain and colored.....\$1.00 to \$1.50
Men's high pure silk Hosiery.....50c and \$1.00
Men's and Boys' Shirts, at.....50c to \$1.50
Men's Ketchies, 6 in a box.....50c and 75c
Suspenders in fine Christmas boxes.....25c and 50c
Ladies' "Comfy" Slippers, all colors.....95c to \$1.50
Men's Slippers, felt or leather.....95c to \$1.50
Children's Felt Slippers, fur trimmed.....50c to \$1.25
Ladies' Indian Moccasins, all sizes.....\$1.25
Children's Indian Moccasins.....50c to \$1.25
"Triumph" Ladies' Silk Foot Hose, at only.....50c
Kimono, Silk Crepe Chemise.....\$1.25 to \$5.00
Dainty Stamped Podge Aprons, priced at.....50c
Sewing Outfits, with sewing materials.....50c to \$1.50
Fancy Sewing Trays, from.....\$1.00 to \$1.75
Children's Sewing Boxes, priced at only.....25c
Sweet Grass Baskets, trimmed with ribbon, 75c to \$2

Furs for Christmas Gifts

Mother would like Furs, so would big sister and little sister—and Mrs. New Wife. Kobacker Furs given to them will mean not only Furs, but Quality Furs, well selected and exactly as represented.

Tiger Coney Sets, Scarf and Muff.....\$10.00
Cross Fox Sets, Scarf and Muff.....\$15.00
Natural or Black Lynx Sets, at.....\$25.00

EXTRA SPECIAL—Red Fox Sets, Melon Shape Muff, guaranteed satin lining, regular \$22.50 value, at.....\$16.75



Narobia Guaranteed Furs

Our and the manufacturers' guarantees stand back of every Fur Set we sell, whether it is only \$10 or the most costly set in our collection. Besides you can be sure of correct style.

Natural Opossum Sets, Scarf and Muff.....\$19.75
Red Fox Sets, Scarf and Muff.....\$25.00
Krimmer Matched Sets, Scarf and Muff.....\$29.75

EXTRA SPECIAL—Natural Lynx Set, Scarf and large Pillow Muff, regular \$10.00 value, at-only \$5.90



Prices Greatly Lowered on Christmas Waists

Lawn and Lingerie Waists.....\$1.00

Voile and Silk Plaid Waists.....\$1.39

Taffeta Waists, tailor made.....\$2.50

Cream Shadow Lace Waists.....\$3.95

Georgette, Crepe de Chine Waists, \$5.90

Remarkable Offerings in Women's Suits and Coats

Coats at \$9.75 & \$16.50
Suits at \$14.75 & \$18.75

The garments themselves are convincing proof of their splendid values.

Not cheap garments, but all of much higher price and all of Kobacker Standard.

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"THE BIG STORE"
ON PITTSBURGH ST.



Rugs Are Substantial Gifts and Prices the Lowest

\$17.50 Seamless Brussels Rugs.....\$11.75

\$22.50 Brussels Rugs, 11.3x12.....\$18.85

\$18.50 Velvet Rugs, 9x12.....\$14.75

\$24.50 Axminster Rugs, 9x12.....\$18.90

60c Brussels Carpets.....\$.45

\$1.25 Velvet Carpets, yard.....\$.95

GLOBE THEATRE TODAY

ETHEL CLAYTON IN THE LUDIN DRAMA

"IN SPITE OF HIM"

ANNA SCHAFER AND MARGUERITE REID IN THE TWO REEL VITAGRAPH DRAMA

"THE BARRIERS OF PREJUDICE"

LAURA LA VARNIE FEATURING IN THE TWO REEL BIO-GRAMMA DRAMA

"AND BY THESE DEEDS"

WALLY VAN AND NITIA PRAZIER IN VITAGRAPH COMEDY

"SUITS"

TOMORROW

THE OLIVER MORRIS PHOTOPLAY CO. PRESENTS CYRIL MAUDE IN THE FIVE REEL PARAMOUNT DRAMA

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Checking accounts are invited.

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Capital.....\$ 200,000.00
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FOUR PER CENT. PAID ON SAVINGS ACCOUNTS.

The New Empire Theatre TONIGHT

"THE BRACELET,"

In Three Reels.

"SNAPSHOTS,"

A Good Comedy.

FIVE CENTS.

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TODAY

Wm. Fox Presents the Distinguished Star
FREDERICK PERRY
And an All-Star Cast

"The Family Stain"

Mr. Perry, Star of "Dr. Ramon," is considered to be the Most Foreboding Actor Living Today.

TWO GOOD COMEDIES.

The name FOX is significant of the best in pictures. You are assured of an evening's enjoyment when you witness a FOX production.

TOMORROW

A Mutual Masterpiece

"The Man From Oregon"

ADMISSION

Afternoon, 1:30 to 5—5c & 10c. Night, 6 to 10:30—10c.

Christmas Money

Do your Christmas shopping NOW. Any honest person with steady work can secure a loan from \$10 to \$200 through us and pay it back in easy payments. Credit once established here means ready money when you need it.

FAYETTE BROKERAGE COMPANY.

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A Check for Christmas

The satisfactory way to send a present of money by mail is to forward it by check—thus assuring Safety, Economy and convenience. Checking Accounts, large or small, are cordially invited.

UNION NATIONAL BANK,

CONNELLSVILLE, PA. WEST SIDE

A Beauty Secret

To have clear skin, bright eyes and a healthy appearance, your digestion must be good—your bowels and liver kept active and regular. Assist nature—take

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

The SEA WOLF

JACK LONDON

"Cooky," Wolf Larsen called in a low voice. Thomas Mugridge turned a pitiable, scared face. "Let go that fore-boom tackle and pass it across, and when she's willing let go the sheet and come in snug with the tackle. And if you make a move of it, it will be the last you ever make. Understand?"

"Mr. Van Weyden, stand by to pass the head-sails over. Then jump for the topsails and spread them quick as God'll let you—the quicker you do it the easier you'll find it. As for Cooky, if he isn't lively but him between the eyes."

Wolf Larsen was aware of the compliment and pleased, in that no throat had accompanied his instructions. He was lying head to north-west, and it was his intention to jibe over all with the first puff.

"We'll have the breeze on our quarter," he explained to me. "By the last gust the boats were bearing away slightly to the southward."

He turned and walked aft to the wheel. I went forward and took my station at the jib. Another whisper of wind, and another, passed by. The canvas snapped lazily.

"Thank God, she's not comin' all of a bunch, Mr. Van Weyden," was the cockney's fervent ejaculation.

The whisper of wind became puffs, the sails filled, the Ghost moved. Wolf Larsen put the wheel hard up, to port, and we began to pay off. The wind was now dead astern, rattling and puffing stronger and stronger, and my head-sails were pounding lustily. My hands were full with the flying jib, jib, and staysail; and by the time this part of my task was accomplished the Ghost was leaping into the southwest, the wind on her quarter and all her sheets to starboard. With-out pausing for breath, through my heart was beating like a trip-hammer from my exertions. I sprang to the top-sails, and before the wind had become too strong we had them fairly set and were colling down. Then I went aft for orders.

Wolf Larsen nodded approval and relinquished the wheel to me. The wind was strengthening steadily and the sea rising. For an hour I steered, each moment becoming more difficult. I had not the experience to steer at the gale we were going on a quartering course.

Now take a run up with the glass and raise some of the boats. We've made at least ten knots, and we're going twelve or thirteen now. The old girl knows how to walk."

I contented myself with the fore cross-trees, some seventy feet above the deck. As I searched the vast stretch of water before me, I comprehended thoroughly the need for haste if we were to recover any of our men. Indeed, as I gazed at the heavy sea through which we were running, I doubted that there was a boat afloat. It did not seem possible that such frail craft could survive such stress of wind and water.

For an hour I saw nothing but the naked, desolate sea. And then, where a vagrant shaft of sunlight struck the ocean and turned its surface to writhing silver, I caught a small black speck that swayed for an instant and then swallowed up. I waited patiently. Again the tiny point of black projected itself through the wraithful blue, a couple of points off our port-bow. I did not attempt to shout, but communicated the news to Wolf Larsen by waving my arm. He changed the course, and I signalled affirmation when the speck showed dead ahead.

It grew larger, and as swiftly that for the first time I fully appreciated the speed of our flight. Wolf Larsen motioned for me to come down, and when I stood beside him at the wheel gave me instructions for hoisting the "Expect all hell to break loose," he

ERUPTION ON HEAD

DISFIGURED BABY

Ashamed to Take Her Out. Itching All the Time. Hair Came Out Until Bald. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. In Two Weeks Healed.

Box B, Hancock St., Philadelphia, Pa. — "I was about two weeks after being born that all of my little head was just like a weeping, itching, burning, and it got all like thick scales and was so bad that I had to put a cap on my head all the time. It was so bad to look at that I was ashamed to take her out and it distressed her awfully. It was itching her all the time and she tried to scratch it and when she could not she would rub her little head on the pillow. Every time a little of the hard crust came off the hair came off with it until she was bald headed. She was awful cross and kept me awake at night."

"I sent for a free sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment. The sample box cleared her head of the crust and then I bought a box of Cuticura Ointment and soon Cuticura Soap and in two weeks her head was healed." (Signed) Mrs. Yates, (Signed) Dec. 12, 1914.

Sample Each Free by Mail With 25c. Skin Block on request. Address postpaid "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston." Sold throughout the world.

DON'T BE A SLAVE TO YOUR NERVES

Good Advice to Nervous People.



People who are excessively nervous, tired out and all run down, who get the jumps and blinks, who can't concentrate their mind on work, have fits of blues, trembling, nervous headaches and dizziness and that "don't give a hang" feeling so common to nervous folk may take it as a certain fact that their trouble is due to impoverished or overtaxed nerve force. Their nerve cells are starving and when they give out entirely complete nervous prostration or breakdown is the result.

A splendid treatment for weak nerves is found in the famous Mergo Nervine Tablets composed of six of the best nerve vitalizing elements known to modern chemistry. These tablets go straight to the nerve cells and begin immediate action. Take a Mergo Nervine Tablet, wait ten minutes and watch yourself perk up. They feed your starved nerve cells, start healthy blood circulation and normal digestion. Then you brighten up, put on a smile, get some of the old-time "pep" back in your system and feel as happy as an immortal. Take a Mergo Nervine Tablet and you are absolutely assured of a safe, no dangerous habit forming drug, are easy to take, and inexpensive and Laughey Drug Co. and other leading druggists sell them on a positive guarantee of successful results or money back.—Adv.

At the Theatres

SOISSON THEATRE.

"J. RUPPE'S WALLINGFORD."—Warr Melrose and Max Pisman are featured today at the Soisson Theatre in the most humorous serial of the day, "J. Ruppe's Wallingford." The production is one of the best of its kind. "In Search of a Wife," a two reel Gold Seal Thanksgiving drama with Herbert Rawlinson and Agnes Vernon in the star parts. It relates a novel story of a young man who goes to New York to find a suitable wife but who returns to his home Thanksgiving Day to find the plain little girl who always loved him. No New York girls for him. "The Trap That Failed," featuring Murdock MacQuarrie and Edna Payne in an exciting big story of a diamond necklace that came near being stolen, but was saved by a tramp. When Willie Went Wild, it is a fun comedy with an English lord and a bunch of cowboys. It's a riot and no mistake. Tomorrow, the eleven episode of the thrilling serial, "Sea of the Saxon," is the attraction. Saturday, the Schuberts will present Clara Kimball Young in the five reel mountain drama, "The Heart of the Blue Ridge."



CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG IN "THE HEART OF THE BLUE RIDGE."

Plutina, a country girl, lives in the moonshine district when a reward is offered by the government for information leading to the arrest of the makers of unlicensed whiskey. She is in love with, and is beloved by Zeke, a young farmer, and is happy in the possession of a pet bear. Dan Hodges, who secretly operates an illicit still, falls in love with Plutina, but she repulses him. In revenge he kills Plutina's bear. Zeke gives information about the illicit still, but Dan and his followers escape into the mountains. When Zeke learns of the death of the bear, he swears to punish Dan. He pursues him and the men have a fight. Dan getting the worst of it, but he escapes further into the mountains. The still is destroyed and Dan vows vengeance on Zeke. He recaptures and tells Plutina that he must have her or he will burn her house down and kill her grandfather and sister. Plutina is now genuine alarmed. Zeke is appointed overseer of a lumber area, and he and Plutina have every prospect of being happily married. Dan Hodges starts another still and swears to get Zeke. Plutina directs the officers to Dan's still and Zeke goes away. Dan and his men again escape. Dan meets Plutina and tries to kiss her, she resists and he drags her with him, intending to take her to the mountains with him. Zeke, on his journey, learns Plutina's plight and hastens back to rescue her. Meanwhile, Dan insists that he will marry Plutina, but she repulses him. Zeke organizes a dog hunt in order to rescue Plutina and arrives in time to confront Dan as he is striking Plutina. There is a fight between the two men on the edge of the cliff. Hodges plunges on to the rocks below

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"THE FAMILY STAIN."—Who added the Widow Lawrence? That is the question calculated to puzzle the brain of every Sherlock Holmes fan. In the latest and greatest William Fox photoplay, "The Family Stain," which is packed and answered with fascinating and thrilling dramatic power in this screen-play supreme. Suspicion rests upon six persons—four men and two women. The scene appears to be impossible of unravelling. The tangled web of evidence enmeshes first one and then another of the suspects till the spectator thrills in sympathy with tele several predicaments.

Not till the very end of this remarkable and noteworthy drama of the silent stage is the mystery solved in a manner so striking and original in its astonishing denouement that "The Family Stain" has been declared by the Metropolitan press to stand in a class absolutely by itself. The production abounds in strong and powerful climaxes and swift thrilling action that sweeps on from first scene to the last, like a mighty river in flood. A magnificent cast—Frederick, Percy, Walter Miller, Edith Hallor and other renowned Broadway favorites. At the Arcade Theatre today.

THE GLOBE.

"IN SIGHT OF HIM."—Featuring Michel Clayton, the charming screen actress, is being presented today at the Globe in addition to several other good attractions. The production is a Taber drama and Michel Clayton is ably supported by other star players. Anne Schaefer and Marguerite Held are appearing in "Barriers of Prejudice," a Vitaphone drama in two acts. Laura Lee Vanne presented in a Biograph drama, "And by Those Days." A magnificent cast—Frederick, Percy, Walter Miller, Edith Hallor and other renowned Broadway favorites. At the Globe Theatre today.

KEYSTONES WIN

Win Two Games Out of Three From Spectators.

The Keystones won two out of three from the Spectator last night. The score:

KEYSTONES.				
Walton	55	413	321	
Addis	102	123	91	316
Ardis	99	101	85	286
R. Wilson	104	108	90	231
W. Wilson	106	111	123	310
Totals	568	556	502	1587
SPECTATORS.				
Opperman	102	95	125	322
McClelland	93	99	95	287
Imbert	103	95	111	309
Snyder	112	108	107	327
Dilworth	99	110	87	296
Totals	509	507	525	1542
Standing of the Clubs.				
Winters	29	19	267	
Metropolitans	18	15	217	
Keystones	15	13	209	

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Books Match With Gallagher at Beaver Falls on Christmas.

Bodie Wimbles, the West Side pugilist, has arranged for a bout at Beaver Falls on Christmas when he will meet Nish Gallagher for 10 rounds.

Wimbles has not had many fights this winter but he will, probably follow up the bout at Beaver Falls with several others. He has met Gallagher in June and has defeated him.

DAWSON.

DAWSON, Dec. 8.—Miss Marie Port was a Connellsville caller yesterday.

Mrs. R. J. Smith was a Connellsville shopper yesterday.

Rev. W. B. Purnell is spending several days in Pittsburgh.

Miss Mary Porter was a Connellsville caller recently.

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WOULD RATHER SEE A TARIFF

Congressman Coleman of McKeesport Is Not a Preparedness Advocate; Thinks Small Defense Program; Demands War Against Cancer.

Special to The Courier.—WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—While other matters are being discussed today, the thought of official Washington, the question which continued to occupy the center of the stage was National Preparedness. With a National Rivers and Harbors Congress in session at here, also the Congressional Union for Women Suffrage holding its first national convention, and with neither house of Congress in session today, some of the highlights which had been thrown upon Capitol Hill during the first two days of this week were being cast in other directions. Nevertheless, the thought contained in the President's message on the need of adequate national defense was prominent in discussion everywhere.

Representative Mann of Illinois, Republican leader of the House, was scheduled to visit the White House today and discuss with the President the national defense program. Since for Gallinger of New Hampshire, Republican leader in the Senate, talked the matter over with the President yesterday.

Efforts are being made to have the defense measures placed on a more or less non-partisan basis. One of the objects of the President's conference with Senator Gallinger and Representative Mann, was to see what could be done in this direction. Senator Gallinger after his conference declared that the Senate Republicans would treat the matter in a non-partisan manner, and would honestly cooperate with the party in power in working out defense plans which will be safe and sound. "But we will not agree," he added, "to have the Democratic frame their plans in canvas and then ask us to approve them."

Another step in the same direction was taken yesterday when Senator Chamberlain and Representative Day, chairman of the Senate and House committees on military affairs, respectively, decided not to introduce bills they have prepared at this time but to transmit them informally to the committees for joint deliberation by both the Democratic and the Republican members of the committee.

Senator Chamberlain expressed the opinion that if the bills were introduced now they might be construed as party measures. "One vote which will be raised in opposition to the defense program is that of Representative Coleman of McKeesport," Pennsylvania, a new member of the House. He expressed the opinion that much of the preparedness sentiment had been manufactured, and that a great national defense program was not desired by the masses of the workers and the people throughout the country.

"I am in favor of a personal amount of preparedness," said Mr. Coleman, "but not as much as the President advocates. I believe that much of the sentiment which has been aroused in favor of national preparedness is manufactured and does not represent the real feeling and desire of the majority of the people. I keep in pretty close touch with the people and I believe they will be heard from before this defense program is through."

Mr. Coleman said he did not care to commit himself any more fully at the present time but declared that he expected to have something more to say on the subject later on, probably in a speech on the floor of the House.

On the other hand, in opposition to Mr. Coleman's views, as expressed today, another new Pennsylvania member of the House, Representative Hopwood, asserted that he did not believe in any half-way measures of preparedness which would be as good as nothing.

"I am in favor," he said, "of the strongest sort of a national defense. And it should be carried out as quickly as possible. If we are going to need strong national defense it may be within the next year or two, and I believe we should provide at once for powerful coast defense and for

plenty of submarines to guard our coast. I have not as yet studied the details of our coast defenses, and so do not know exactly how much would be needed to put them in position for defense against the strongest force an enemy could bring against them, but if they are not ready to meet the strongest enemy, they are useless.

"Of course I am in favor of building up the navy also with battleships so that the United States will have the power to go for itself the freedom of the seas. While this country has about all the resources it needs within its own borders, more so probably than any other country in the world, nevertheless we should be in a position to go out and do battle if necessary with any other power that tries to keep from us the freedom of the seas.

"The strengthening of the coast defenses and the building of a lot of submarines," Mr. Hopwood continued, "could be done promptly, probably within a year or two, but the building of sufficient big battleships would take longer.

"As to raising the money, if it is not done by protective duties on imports, as it should be, I can see no objection to a bond issue. This country can well afford in such a cause to use this method. A man would not hesitate to put a small mortgage on his house if there be no interest in it against fire or other damage."

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—Imported Silk Handkerchiefs, fancy, 50c.
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—Silk Suspenders and Garters to match in fancy Christmas Boxes, \$1.25 set.
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—Most every Muff in our collection has a Scarf to match it perfectly. We will mention a few, however, that are attracting most attention. They are—Coney, French Coney, Pitch Opossum, Black Fox, Lynx, Nippon Mink, Red Fox, Natural Mink, etc., etc.

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